



Press Release

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The Lake County Sheriff's Office is currently investigating a series of attempted burglaries and B&E's in the Pontiac, Sycamore, and Bellevue area of Painesville Township Park.

1. On 8/21/11 at approximately 5:30 P.M suspect(s) entered a vacant home at 881 Bellevue by kicking in front door of residence. However, no property was taken, but there was damage to front door.
2. At 911 Pontiac Ave., Painesville Township Park, person(s) unknown forced open front door of residence during day time hours, between of 1:30p.m to 10:30p.m, on 8/22/11 No property was taken.
3. At 867 Pontiac Ave., Painesville Township Park , person(s) unknown between the hours of 9:30a.m to 2:45p.m on 8/24/11 made forced entry into the residence by forcing open side door of attached garage. Once inside the garage, person(s) unknown entered residence but no items were taken.
4. At 860 Bellevue Ave., Painesville Township Park , person(s) unknown between the hours of 8:00p.m 8/23/11 to 4:00p.m 8/24/11 forced entry made into the residence via a south side 2' by 2' window. The reporting party stated that nothing had been removed from the home.
5. At 57 Sycamore Ave., Painesville Township Park, person(s) unknown made forced entry into this vacant home during daytime hours on 8/27/11, by forcing open a south side man door. No property was taken.

All the fore mentioned attempted burglaries and B&E'S appear to have been daytime criminal activity. The Lake County Sheriff's Office is asking residents in area of Bellevue, Pontiac, Sycamore and Hardy Road to report to our Office any suspicious person(s) seen walking around or near vacant homes, or near a neighbor's home when neighbor is at work or away on activity. The Lake

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County Sheriff's Office believes that the suspects are local juveniles known by residents. Concerned residents can call 350-5506 and leave a message. All information will be kept confidential.

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